

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAR. 21, 1901.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Run rises tomorrow at 6:00 a. m. and sets at 6:15 p. m. High water at 8:45 a. m. and 9:07 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section, fair tonight and Friday; colder tonight; fresh northwest to southwest winds.

ANOTHER SUDDEN DEATH.—The community was startled early Tuesday night by the sudden death in the street of Mr. Thomas J. Thompson, and this morning, while this was still fresh in the memory, the many friends of Mr. W. H. Winston were startled and grieved to learn that he had just expired in a buggy in front of his home in West End. The circumstances in connection with his death are peculiar. The deceased was the contractor for the improvements now being made at the Southern Railway depot in this city, and was engaged in this work this morning, apparently in his usual health. He had occasion to use some tools which were at his home, and had directed Mr. Vaughn, one of his workmen, to take a buggy and bring them to the depot. Before Mr. Vaughn started, however, Mr. Winston concluded he would accompany him, remarking that he knew where the tools had been placed. He entered the buggy with the workman and a few minutes later became ill. By the time the Stone Bridge was reached he was unconscious. Mr. Vaughn became alarmed and hurried the horse in order to get the sick man home as soon as possible, but by the time the buggy reached the house Mr. Winston had expired. Mr. Winston had been a familiar figure in this city and neighborhood for several years. He was of Virginia parentage, his father having been a native of Loudoun county, although the deceased was born in Wisconsin, to which State his parents removed in early life. Mr. Winston came East some time ago and located at Aldie, later taking up his residence in West End. He was a contracting carpenter and was noted for his energy and the nerve he exhibited in proposals for work. He was generally successful in contracts awarded him, and he had been married twice. His first wife was Miss Nichols, of Loudoun, and his second wife Miss Carrie Dugal. He has three children by the former and one by the latter. Mr. Winston was a member of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, Mount Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, Old Dominion Commandery of Knights Templar, Acca Temple of Shrine and Alexandria Council, Royal Arcanum. He had made many friends and acquaintances during his residence in this vicinity and his death is sincerely regretted.

DEATH OF DR. FAWCETT.—Dr. E. S. Fawcett died at his home on Prince street, near St. Asaph, about nine o'clock this morning. The deceased had some weeks ago been critically ill from kidney trouble, but had so far recovered as to be out again. A few days ago, however, he was again prostrated, when his condition became more critical than ever. He languished until this morning, when death overtook him. Dr. Fawcett was within one day of being 55 years old. He was born in Missouri, but came to Alexandria early in life and had resided here ever since. He was a son of Willis and Susan Stabler-Fawcett. Upon reaching manhood he began the practice of dentistry, the profession he followed up to the time of his death. He was imbued with much public spirit and had built a number of dwellings in the southwestern portion of the city. Entire blocks, the fruits of his enterprise, now occupy what were a few years ago cornfields and cabbage patches. He married a daughter of Mr. J. Wallace Hood and besides a widow leaves nine children—five boys and four girls. He had for a long time been a member of St. Paul's Church. The critical illness of Dr. Fawcett brought forth many expressions of sympathy from his numerous friends and acquaintances, and it was earnestly hoped the means used to restore the ravages of the disease from which he was suffering would be blessed to a sufficient degree to prolong his life for a while at least; but during the past few days, although his sorrowing relatives and friends were hoping against hope, it was too plainly manifest that his life was ebbing and that death would soon close the scene.

FUNERALS.—The funeral of Mrs. Kate Harrington, whose death was mentioned yesterday, took place this morning from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Emily Davis, on Wolfe street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Jeffers.

The remains of Mrs. Lillian C. Woodhouse were brought here this morning from Norfolk, where she died yesterday, and were buried this evening from the residence of her brother on north Pitt street. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Jeffers.

The funeral of Thomas J. Thompson, who died suddenly on Tuesday night, took place from his late home, 514 Prince street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The interment was private. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Hunt.

The remains of Anthony Bennett, who was drowned in James creek, Washington, on Feb. 18, were brought here and interred at 11 a. m. today from Wheatley's undertaking establishment. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Outler.

REMAINS SENT HOME.—The coroner's jury summoned to investigate the death of John McMahon, the lineman killed by a falling telegraph pole in Washington on Tuesday, returned a verdict yesterday that the accident was due to negligence on the part of the owners of the pole. After the hearing the body was brought to the home of his brother in this city and last night was forwarded to Buffalo, N. Y., his former home, for interment.

DECREES ENTERED.—A decree was entered in the Corporation Court this morning confirming the report of Commissioner in Chancery Eugene B. Taylor, in the chancery case of M. B. Harlow, guardian, vs. Harvey Grant et al., and directing the real estate to be sold, naming J. D. Normoyle as commissioner to sell said property.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

Their promptness and their pleasant effects make DeWitt's Little Early Ears most popular little pills wherever they are known. They are simply perfect for liver and bowel troubles.

SHOT AT THE VANDAL.—Some excitement was caused on Alfred street, between Cameron and Queen, about one o'clock this morning by three pistol shots which had been fired by C. W. Arnold, colored. Arnold, who is an undertaker, lives on this square, where he has his place of business, and of late has been annoyed by unknown parties who throw stones through his windows. At the time mentioned above a rock came crashing through one of his windows, and Arnold, who was in an upper room, secured a pistol with the intention of wreaking vengeance on the vandal. He thought he saw a human figure in the adjoining alley and began firing at it. The bullets, however, went wide of the mark, and the party who threw the rock escaped.

A MOVING POLE.—A few months since a barber shop was opened at the corner of Fairfax and Wilkes streets, and a few weeks thereafter the very elaborate barber's pole was moved a square east, where the shop was opened. Since then the pole has graced the front steps of many a house in the First ward, and only last week it found in a conspicuous position near the barge wharf, at the foot of Wilkes street. Its perignations have caused considerable surprise, but this morning when the pole was discovered securely tied in the top of a tall tree in the yard of a gentleman at the corner of Wilkes and Lee streets the surprise was turned into amazement, and now the question is, Where will the pole be found next?

PERSONAL.—Rev. Dr. W. L. Davies of Washington, will preach in Christ Church tonight at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Eoca Carr is sick at his home on Wolfe street.

Miss Eleanor French has returned from Florida.

Councilman Evans, of the Fourth ward, who has been confined to his home for some time, is able to be out again.

Mr. F. Schwarz continues extremely ill.

BIDS OPENED.—Sealed proposals for the construction of a sewer system at Fort Washington were opened today at the office of Maj. A. S. Bickham, in this city. There were seven or eight bidders, including some from this city. The lowest bidder was L. O. Howell & Co., of Philadelphia, who offered to complete the work in from 18 to 24 days for \$2,831 57. Messrs. Cavillier & Spinks, of this city, were the second lowest bidders.

POLICE COURT.—The following cases were disposed of today:
Joseph Thomas, colored, charged with running away from his home was dismissed.
Byrant Henry, charged with larceny, had his case continued.

CHURCH MEETING.—At the business meeting of the congregation of the M. P. Church, held last night, the following were elected: Board of stewards, Edgar Lyles, J. T. Haring, E. S. Hartzman, H. M. Hartzman, Charles Hartzman, N. S. Greenaway, W. T. Emerson, L. D. Sullivan, Robert Hancock, A. Deane, W. K. Griffith, Ernest Pittman; delegate to conference, J. T. Haring; alternate, Edgar Lyles.

INVOKED BLESSING UPON COURT.—Judge Kimball and the attaches of the District branch of the Police Court in Washington were treated to something of a sensation yesterday. The court had just accepted the personal bands of John Cavanaugh, a street preacher, of this city, who was charged with disorderly conduct in obstructing the street and holding an outdoor meeting. As soon as he understood that he was free to leave the court Cavanaugh dropped upon his knees and invoked divine blessing upon all connected with the court in a most fervent prayer. He was arrested Tuesday night shortly before 7 o'clock, the police regulations forbidding religious gatherings on the street before that hour.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are liable to cause blood poisoning. Leave them alone. The original has the name of DeWitt's upon the box and wrapper. It is a harmless and healing salve for skin diseases. Unequalled for piles.

LOCAL BREVITIES.
Mr. Wm. Naylor was taken suddenly ill while in market this morning, and had to be taken to his home on Duke street.

The board of managers of the Alexandria Kindergarten acknowledge the receipt of two checks—one for \$15 and one for \$5.

Last night was a wild one, a strong south-east wind blowing and rain falling in torrents. Spring, according to the almanac, begins today.

The schooner Silver Spray during a squall off the White House yesterday had her mast blown out. The day before her job was torn to pieces.

DRY GOODS.

LANSBURGH & BRO.,

Washington's Favorite Store.

COLORED DRESS GOODS

At Wonderfully Low Prices.

Fine All-wool Nun's Veilings—colors are old rose, rose, green, navy, military blue, cream, red, tan, mode, grey, 39c yd.

Gravina Suitings, in 5 grays, 2 blues, 2 browns, 2 greens, tan, etc. These are pure wool, and will be very popular for spring. All colors—worth 65c—48c yd.

100 new styles of pretty Challies—some have all stripes, small and large figures—suitable for all ages. There were made to sell for 50c. All now mark—29c yd.

Fine All-wool flannel cloths, 40 inches wide, in a good range of spring colors. Yours AT COST—39c yd.

Extra quality French Albatross in resins, willow, old rose, metallic blue, cream, white, red, blue, violet, gray, tan, etc. 50c yd.

Poplins and Setin Soliel, ideal spring fabrics—colors are mode, red, drab, gray, navy, tan, cream, marine, old blue, 44 74c yd.

Free Daily Deliveries to Alexandria.

Lansburgh & Bro.,

420 to 426 Seventh street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

FIRE IN WASHINGTON.

Thousands saw a fire last night which threatened to totally destroy the four-story double brick building, 923 and 925 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Washington, occupied by Mitchell Drenforth & Company, clothiers, and Edward F. Droop & Sons, dealers in pianos and musical supplies, and which resulted in a loss estimated at \$80,000. Drenforth & Company are the heaviest losers. Their loss on a stock of clothing, etc., is placed at \$60,000. The building is owned by Mrs. E. B. Hitz, and is damaged to the extent of \$30,000. Mr. Droop said last night that his loss, if any, would be slight. The fire appears to have had its origin in the rear of the cellar of the building. Just how it started is uncertain, but it is thought that electric wires became crossed in the basement, and near the fourth side of the building, and near the shaft of a large freight elevator.

ENLARGING LANSBURGH'S STORE.

An important purchase has just been completed by Lansburgh & Bro., of Washington, and when the plans, which are now in the hands of an architect, are carried out a large addition will be made to the extensive establishment of this firm, 420-426 Seventh street, Washington. They have bought the Keeler property, immediately in the rear of their store building, and adjoining the 8th street wing, which has a frontage of fifty-seven feet on 8th street between D and E streets and a depth of 110 feet. The old building now occupying that site is to be removed and in its place a new structure will be erected, covering the entire site.

The new building will adjoin on the north the extensive wing going back to 8th street, now a part of this establishment, and it is the purpose to make the proposed section an addition to that extensive room, the whole having a floor space of over 11,000 square feet and amply lighted by the windows at the end, and also by large skylights in the ceiling.

This house now owns a frontage on 8th street of 102 feet, which is made a part of the main building, which fronts on 7th street by means of arched approaches over the alley. It is expected this improvement will be completed in time for the opening of the fall trade.

General Wogack, Russian commander at Tientsin, has made a formal demand on General Campbell, the British commander, that the British withdraw from the disputed land and that General Campbell apologize. A dispatch to the London Daily Mail states that General Campbell refuses to withdraw or apologize and has the support of the British Government in this course. In Berlin it is said that Germany will be neutral in case of conflict between Russia and Britain. The United States Government is willing to use its good offices to arrange the controversy, but is not disposed to interfere unless asked.

WOULD HAVE PERISHED.—"Without the aid of the newspaper—by which I mean advertising—we would have perished," said Mr. John S. Carey, the head of one of the largest business establishments in New York. "To advertising," he continued, "we owe the success which, without exaggeration, I may call phenomenal."

An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.
George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken loads of trash of no account, but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

New York, March 21.—The stock market opened irregularly and with smaller volume of business than has recently been enjoyed. Fluctuations in the railroad list were, as a rule, confined to small limits. The market showed some reactionary tendency, but there was no severe selling pressure. In government bonds, the old 4s, were off 1/2 per cent.

MILLINERY.

MRS. E. A. PROCTOR
614 KING STREET,
cordially invites the public in general to the opening on

SATURDAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY, March 23, 25 and 26, of a full line SPRING MILLINERY including all the latest styles of Hats, Bonnets, Mibbons, etc.

—SPECIALTY.
FINE WINTER-CURED HAMS—Cox & Gordon's Sugar-cured Hams, small sizes, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

CRANBERRIES—One barrel choice Cranberries received today, Feb. 11, by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop

10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

Opening Display, Continued During the Week, of ART OBJECTS FOR EASTER GIFTS.

Exhibiting Paris, Berlin, and Vienna Novelties, French Bique Ornaments, French Gilt Photo Frames, Hand-painted Miniatures on Ivory and Sterling Silver, Brice-brass, Sterling Silver and Gold Articles, Pearl Necklaces, Belt Buckles, Empire Fans, Opera Glasses, Pocket-books, and Card Cases, and other beautiful specimens of our selection and importation, designed especially for Easter Gifts.

Millinery Opening.

THIS THURSDAY, CONTINUING FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,
Presenting Paris and London Models in Hats, Toques, & Bonnets,

Designed by the World's Greatest Millinery Artists, Paul Virot and Berthe, Mme. Feunty, Mme. Virot, Mme. Jalls, Mme. Poyssanne, Mme. Carrier, Mme. Raverly, Marceot Soeurs, Maison Lewis, and Felix Brune.

Also Mourning Millinery from Angl-Marrie, the leading Paris designer in this line.

Also exquisite American adaptations and original conceptions.

Also London models in Walking Hats, including the "Turban," also Sailors, Turbans, and styles designed especially for driving, coaching, horseback riding, bicycling, tennis, golf, and general outdoor wear.

Also Millinery Novelties and Ornaments, and a rare assortment of Flowers, which are to be so extensively used for spring and summer.

And special attention is called to the new "Withered" Roses and dainty Silk Roses, velled in chiffon, now to greatly in evidence in Paris.

We also exhibit in connection with the millinery the latest Paris novelties in Lace Empire Collars and other elegant Neckpieces.

A cordial invitation is extended to all. Millinery Parlor—Second floor.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY. REMNANT DAY

And tomorrow there will be important lots of goods that will prove more or less interesting to the community in lined. Hosts of odds and ends, short lengths, broken sets, and assortments, &c. of every kind and condition and all marked for easy buying.

Clearance Sale of Upholstery, Curtains, &c.

Silk Damasks, Wool Tapestries, Figured Swisses, &c., for draperies, hangings, furniture coverings, &c. Also odd pairs and small lots of Lace Curtains. Also some rare, unique, and beautiful odd pieces of Art Furniture, and a few handsome and choice pieces of Parlor Suites, including odd Dutch Inlay. Also several odd Rugs in small and carpet sizes, including Oriental and domestic.

These various classes of goods are offered at a third and a half off regular prices.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP.

10th, 11th & F Sts., N. W., WASHINGTON, D. C.

CHINA, GLASSWARE, &c.

Carter & Eggborn,

SUCCESSORS TO CARTER & HOWARD.

We are daily receiving new goods. This week you will find some of the newest decorations in Carved Dinner Sets, many novelties in the China Ware, Royal Bon and others too numerous to mention.

Our Housefurnishing Department has been restocked with many small utensils—Brushes, Dusters and all other such goods in order to make a complete assortment.

No. 423 KING STREET.

The E. J. MILLER CO.

Importers and Jobbers in Earthenware, Glassware, China and all House-furnishing Goods,

317 KING STREET.

While in New York our buyers picked up a BARGAIN IN ENGLISH DINNER SETS. We are now offering them to you at \$9.50 for a complete set of 112 pieces.

Have you seen our \$2 Toilet Sets? Let us know your wants in Tinware, Lamp, etc.

We carry the largest line in the city.

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LIVE AGENTS WANTED—Men, Ladies, Boys and Girls. Greatest novelty seller out. Household necessity. No capital required. Write at once for free circulars, terms, &c. Address THE LAMPA MANUFACTURING CO., station G, Washington, D. C. mh15 6t

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Why should not a man receiving a fair income regard the home as he does insurance, make it a matter of monthly investments, not a large sum to be idle, but of moderate amounts as convenient, owning the property outright after a term of years. THAT IS BETTER than paying rent.

DRY GOODS.

D. Bendheim & Sons

Some Remarkable Bargain Offerings That Merit the Attention of Every Shopper.

One case 3000 yards of Bleached Cottons, in lengths 2 to 10 yards. They are the short lengths of the following brands: Alpine Rose, Wamsutta, Pride of the West, Fruit of the Loom, Androscoggin, Barker Mills and Lonsdale Cambric. The Recognized values are 10 and 12 1/2c. Your choice of the lot.

8c a yard.

One bale heavy yard-wide Brown Cotton,

5c a yard.

One bale heavy 3/4 Brown Cotton,

3 7/8c a yard.

25 pieces New Spring Dress Goods, 39c values,

25c a yard.

All-wool Albatross, 38-inch, 50c a yard.

One lot Spring Dress Gingham,

5c a yard.

One lot Spring Seersuckers, 10c value, 6 3/4c a yard.

One lot ten-quarter Bleached Sheet, 30c value, 21c yd.

One lot New Spring Madras, 10c value, 6 3/4c a yard.

Our new line of Laces and All-overs is the most beautiful assortment ever shown here.

One lot 52-inch White Organadies, slightly soiled on ends, 39c value, for 9c a yard.

One lot Fancy Waist Silks, 89c value, for 49c yd.

One lot Ladies' Real Lisle Thread Hose, 39c value, 21c a pair.

D. Bendheim & Sons,

316 KING STREET

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FOR SPRING.

EMBROIDERIES.

Hamburg, all widths, 5, 8, 10, 12 1/2 to 20c.

Also Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries.

Madras, Zephyr Gingham and Pateals

In latest styles, for waists.

CHECKED AND STRIPED MUSLINS.

India Linens at all prices

40-inch wide India Linens at 10 and 12 1/2c per yard.

45-inch Victoria Lawns, at 12 1/2c per yd.

Piques, Plain and Corded Duck, White

Khaki Cloth, &c.,

For skirts.

Torchon and Valenciennes Laces

At all prices. New line just received.

BLEACHED COTTONS.

All the popular brands at lowest prices

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FULL LINE OF SHEETINGS, PILLOW CASE COTTONS,

&c., &c.

Unbleached Cotton, 1 yard wide, in remnants, extra value, at 5c.

Unbleached Cotton Remnants, 3c per yard.

Bleached Remnants at 7 and 8c per yard—extra at prices.

Full line APRON GINGHAMS, CALICOES, &c., &c.

Full line of HOSIERY.

Medium-weight UNDERWEAR, &c. UMBRELLAS.

ROLLER CURTAINS, all latest colors, 23c

Full Protection on Prices.

A. C. SLAYMAKER,

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YOU ARE INVITED TO EXAMINE MY STOCK OF PICTURES,

The price of which range from ONE CENT TO FIFTY CENTS. Worth twice as much. They are selling fast and are pronounced as very good and cheap.

A FINE LINE OF FRENCH CREPE PAPER.

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1250 LBS. EXTRA FINE QUALITY BUCKWHEAT FLOUR

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Our recent purchases for the spring trade are daily arriving, and we are showing large additions to all of our stocks worthy the attention of the purchasing public.

IN DRESS GOODS.

New lines of Albatross of all colors, Nun's Veilings, Colored Crepes, Broadcloths, a large range of goods for waists in foule weaves, light-weight flannels, embroidered albatross, &c.

IN SILKS.

New lines of Taffetas, Duchesse, Peau de Sole, a very choice range of values in Foulards and white corded wash Silks.

NEW BLACK GOODS

In Grenadines, Batiste and novelty effects, choice and exclusive designs.

NEW WHITE GOODS

In India Linons, Dimities, Plaids, Muslins, &c.

Large additions to Wash Goods Stock

In Gingham, Pateals and a full line of thin goods, Domestic Lawns and Dotted Swiss.

New and Special Values in Napkins

From \$2 to \$3.50. A full range of values at \$1 to \$2 also in stock.

Merchant Tailoring Department.

We can confidently recommend this department, under the management of Mr. J. V. Lewis, to the public, assuring them of the best work and stylish garments. One price.

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